

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0016] with the following amended paragraph:

[0016] It is sufficient that the storage identifier can only identify one or two or more storage media on which data should be accumulated, and the storage identifier ~~[[is]] can identify~~, for example, the kind (type) of storage medium (tape, hard disk, etc.), the inherent number (production number, etc.) of the storage medium, the installation place of the storage medium, etc.